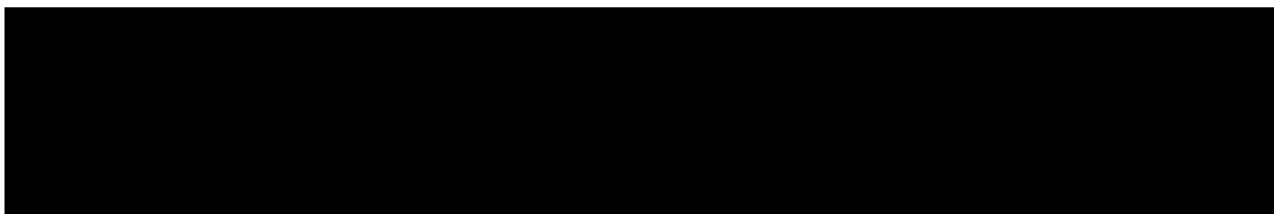


DIARY NOTES

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2. Shef Edwards advised me that he proposed to have Commissioner King, who will hear the parking violation cases at the new building, do so in a room at Langley. I told him that this was entirely satisfactory and would appear to save a great deal of time. In this connection, I suggested to Shef that we not issue any parking tickets for a week or two. Also, subsequent to my conversation with Shef, [REDACTED] suggested that we not issue any parking tickets in the West parking lot at all. He based this on his theory that there will be more than ample parking spaces and therefore no one should be penalized for parking in the wrong lane. (I think that this has some merit, although I have not heard the Logistics side of this argument.)

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25X1A9a 3. I had a rather long and somewhat confidential talk with Emmett Echols  
25X1A9a and [REDACTED] about the assignment of certain personnel to the Office of Personnel.  
25X1A9a We agreed that [REDACTED] should be assigned as Chief of the Personnel Operations  
25X1A9a Division to replace [REDACTED] upon his return from Harvard,  
25X1A9a should be assigned as the Chief of the Planning Staff. They also believed it probably  
would be desirable to bring [REDACTED] home from [REDACTED] to head up the Recruitment 25X1A6a  
Staff. I agreed to all of these in principle. (However, before taking any implementing  
action, I want to have another frank talk with General Carter to make sure that these  
plans would be entirely consistent with his thinking and that the many rumors cir-  
culating around the Agency to the effect that Emmett Echols is to be relieved, that the  
Office of Personnel is to report to the Director, etc., are unfounded. He has already  
told me this once, but, in view of the persistent rumors and the rather positive action  
which I am about to take, I want to check this with him again.)

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